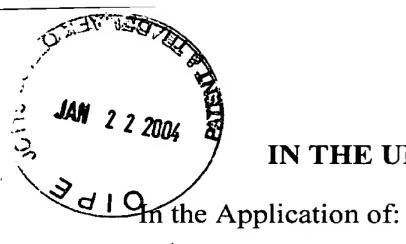
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Sir:

The submission of the substitute Sequence Listing filed concurrently herewith does not include new matter. Figure 1 constituted part of the original filing for the above-identified case. The amino acid sequences appearing in Figure 1 are being included in the Sequence Listing. This, a substitute sequence listing is submitted herewith. No new matter has been added.

The copy of the substitute Sequence Listing in computer readable form filed concurrently herewith is the same as the paper copy of the substitute Sequence Listing filed concurrently herewith.

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